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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 65.

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*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

  
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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Transmitted herewith for filing in the present application are the following documents:

1. Response to Notice To File Missing Parts of Application (in duplicate);
2. Six Executed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney for Application;
3. Petition For Five-Month Extension of Time (in duplicate);
4. A Check in the amount of \$65.00, Check No. 11084 (for surcharge fee);
5. A Check in the amount of \$980.00, Check No. 11083 (for extension fee); and
6. Return Receipt Postcard.

If the enclosed papers are considered incomplete, the Mail Room and/or the Application Branch is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at 617/542-6000, Boston, Massachusetts.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees that may be due, or credit any overpayment of same, to our Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Attorney Reference No. 21272-096 (Formerly 797). A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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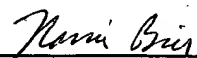
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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION**

Responsive to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated May 9, 2001, Applicants' attorney submits herewith six Executed Combined Declarations and Power of Attorney for the above-identified patent application. A check in the amount of \$65.00 is enclosed to cover the surcharge based on small entity status. A separate petition for an extension of time is being filed concurrently herewith. A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application is also enclosed.

Please charge any underpayments or credit any overpayments associated with this communication to our Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Reference No. 21272-096 (Formerly 797). A duplicate of this letter is enclosed.

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